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Subject: Fw: Re: Draize Test

Importance: High

Regarding the Inhumane practice of Draize Testing, and any animal testing: I urge you, please, to:

- 1. Recommend that federal agencies immediately begin accepting the alternative methods found to be so very useful
- 2. Move forward with recommended improvements in the alternatives without delaying the acceptance of the tests' current forms
- 3. Go beyond the current efforts by developing and validating non-animal methods to completely replace the use of the Draize test.

Thank you for your consideration.